



National Clearinghouse on Child Abuse and Neglect Information National Adoption Information Clearinghouse



Gateways to Information: Protecting Children and Strengthening Families

Toll-Free Crisis Hotline Numbers

Child Abuse

Childhelp USA

Phone: 800-4-A-CHILD (800-422-4453)

Who They Help: Child abuse victims, parents, concerned individuals

Youth Crisis Hotline

Phone: 800-HIT-HOME (800-448-4663)

Who They Help: Individuals reporting child abuse, youth ages 12 to 18

Family Violence

National Domestic Violence Hotline

Phone: 800-799-SAFE (800-799-7233)

Who They Help: Children, parents, friends, offenders

Missing/ Abducted Children

Child Find of America

Phone: 800-I-AM-LOST (800-426-5678)

Who They Help: Parents reporting lost or abducted children

Child Find of America – Mediation

Phone: 800-A-WAY-OUT (800-292-9688)

Who They Help: Parents (abduction, prevention, child custody issues)

Child Quest International Sighting Line

Phone: 888-818-HOPE (888-818-4673)

Who They Help: Individuals with missing child emergencies and/or sighting information; victims of abduction

National Center for Missing and Exploited Children

Phone: 800-THE-LOST (800-843-5678)

Who They Help: Families and professionals (social services, law enforcement)

Operation Lookout National Center for Missing Youth

Phone: 800-LOOKOUT (800-566-5688)

Who They Help: Individuals with missing child emergencies and/or sighting information (for children ages 18 and under)

Rape/Incest

Rape and Incest National Network

Phone: 800-656-HOPE; Ext. 1 (800-656-4673; Ext. 1)

Who They Help: Rape and incest victims, media, policy makers, concerned individuals



**Relief for
Caregivers****National Respite Locator Service**

Phone: 800-677-1116

Who They Help: Parents, caregivers, and professionals caring for children and adults with disabilities, terminal illnesses, or those at risk of abuse or neglect

**Youth in
Trouble/
Runaways****Girls and Boys Town**

Phone: 800-448-3000

Who They Help: Abused, abandoned, and neglected girls and boys; parents; family members

Covenant House Hotline

Phone: 800-999-9999

Who They Help: Problem teens and homeless runaways (ages 21 and under), family members, youth substance abusers

National Referral Network for Kids in Crisis

Phone: 800-KID-SAVE (800-543-7283)

Who They Help: Professionals, parents, adolescents

National Runaway Switchboard

Phone: 800-621-4000

Who They Help: Runaway and homeless youth, families

National Youth Crisis Hotline (Youth Development International)

Phone: 800-HIT-HOME (800-448-4663)

Who They Help: Individuals wishing to obtain help for runaways; youth (ages 12 to 18) experiencing drug abuse, teen pregnancy, homelessness, prostitution, or physical, emotional, or sexual abuse

**Crime
Victims****National Center for Victims of Crime**

Phone: 800-FYI-CALL (800-394-2255)

Who They Help: Families, communities, and individuals harmed by crime